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Tea Importers Settle With the De pariment the Question of the Standards.

Canadians Greatly Addicted to This Beverage-Yukon Case Before the Council.

Russian Friends of the Spirit Wrestlers Announce New Sailing Date.

From Our Own Correspondent. Ottawa, Nov. 29.—Representative tea importers had a lengthy conference with the minister and board of customs this afternoon at which the question of tea nonths ago the department promulgated tea standards based on those in use in the States, but their enforcement was suspended after a conference betwen cer tain importers and officers of the depart ment, the understanding being that be-fore anything further was done another conference should be held here this were present Mr. McDougald, commissioner; G. W. Jessup, Dominion appraiser; Mr. Douglas, appraiser at Montreal, and Mr. Breadner, chief clerk. The representatives of the tea importing industry were Messrs, Macpherson, M. P., Hamilton; J. H. Esterbrook, St. John; James Ince, Toronto; Col. Curran, Halifax; T. C. Bate, Ottawa, and P. S. Doyle, Montreal, As a result of the conference it is believed the conclusion reached will, while being satisfactory to the trade, keep adulterated or impure teas out of Canada. The system of standards in use in the States has were present Mr. McDougald, commistory to the trade, keep adulterated or impure teas out of Canada. The system of standards in use in the States has been discarded as unworkable and instead the government will adopt the method of testing by direct infusion. This plan has been in vogue for several months, all doubtful teas being tested by Mr. Allen, the government expert. It is proposed now as a further protection to the tea importer or consignor that in the event of appeal from the decision of the departmental expert, the disputed sample may be referred to three independent experts who shall act independently of each other. The fact was brought out that Canada consumes from five to six pounds of tea annually perhead of the population as against one and a half pounds in the States.

Prince Halkoff of Russia and Aylmer Maude of England were here to-day to see Mr. Sifton regarding the proposed settlement of Russian Spirit Wrestlers. The first batch of 1,500 are now promised to sail from Batoum for Canada on the 15th December.

The sub-committee of council heard argument to-day in the case of Donnelly v. Nelson, a dispute arising through overlapping mining claims on Dominion creek, Yukon, owing to the gold commissioner recognizing two discovery claims on the creek, S. H. Blake, Toronto, appeared for Donnelly, and R. V. Sinclair for Nelson. Decision was reserved.

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CUNARDER IN TROUBLE.

Cargo Shifted and Boiler Sprung a Leal in Mid Atlantic

Queenstown, Nov. 29.-The Cunard iner Catalonia, from Boston November 17 for Liverpool, reports having encoun tered extremely bad weather on the pas

On Sunday the cargo shifted and of the boilers took to leaking so badly that it became useless for the remainde of the voyage. After the vessel got her heavy list, the cargo was trimmed that she partly righted up.

VANCOUVER'S BUDGET

Mr. Brown of Buffalo Gives Par ticulars of His Discovery of Pre-His oric R mains. .

The Whaling Prometer and His Interesting Pursuit Firemen's Benefit Fund.

Vancouver, Nov. 29 .- Mr. Saml. Foyn. who is at present in Vancouver in con-nection with establishing the whaling business in this province, is a nephew of Svend Foyn who made a worldwide reputation by his whaling enterprise. The elder Foyn amassed a fortune of three million pounds sterling and willed it to missionaries for the conversion of the heathen. Svend Foyn invented a harpoon which is in use to this day without on accomprovement. Mr. Foyn has many instorm. teresting photographs of whaling scenes teresting photographs of whaling scenes in Norway. One picture shows lying on the beach the biggest whale he ever-caught. Mr. Foyn says that it measured So feet and contained 20 tons of oil. It was a blue whale. Other photographs are of whale oil factories and whaling steamers. These steamers are of steel, very strongly built and of great horse power. Mr. Saml. Foyn claims that he was the first to embark in the whaling business in Iceland and also on the coast of Russia.

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Mr. J. M. Brown, of Buffalo, called on the Colonist representative this morning regarding the editorial in the Colonist referring to his having found human bones under an extinct glacier in the Atlin country. Mr. Brown says that very likely the report that he brought from Atlin regarding his experience has lost somewhat in accuracy in passing through the reporters' hands and he is anxious to have the true story printed, as follows:

"The cause of my belief," says Mr. Brown, "that the place in question is the site of an extinct glacier is the presence of exceedingly fine solidified mud, the solidity of which was found to be due not to freezing, since the sun's rays had no softening effect on it, but most certainly to enormous pressure, for the pick made no impression—the use of the shovel was out of the question and nothing but the keen blade of an axe vigorously applied had any effect. In this manner the glacial debris was slow-ly chipped away. It was as hard and compact as ligaum vita. Above this deposit was from eighteen inches to two feet of frozen surface soil, the ordinary surface gravel of the country—and above this again the moss which I ought to say was very much deeper in this particular point than it is usual in the district. Beneath the compact glacial detritus were boulders wedged in against each other in every conceivable shape.

"From between the intersities of the boulders was thrust a long bone. I carefully worked this bone free. The interior of the bone was filled with a substance as black as ink which immediately ran out on the bone being broken. The appearance of the bone convinced me that it was part of the skeleton of a man, its length being identical with the shin bone of my own leg, showing the man to be approximately six feet in height and in weight approximately 180 pounds, I did not continue my investigation. No doubt the rest of the skeleton was there. I did not uncover the r

The firemen of Vancouver are attempting to form a benefit association and are anxious that other cities of British Columbia, particularly Victoria, should join them in this worthy object. They also propose to establish a pension fund. Their proposal to the council to officially recognize them was laid on the table owing to it being so late in the year. There is no doubt the council for 1899 will take the matter up.

THE SEA'S FATAL FURY

FORTY-FIRST YEAR

Souls in Awful Storm on Atlantic Coast.

Most Calamitous in the Terrible List of Thirty Total Wrecks So Far Reported.

Cape Cod Peninsula a Scene of Desolution With Extent of Disaster Yet Unknown.

By Associated Press. Boston, Nov. 29 .- The worst fears as

to the steamer Portland, reported miss ing in these despatches of yesterday, were realized this morning, when news was received that on Sunday morning she was lost, with the whole ship's com-pany. Word came from North Truro that she struck near Highland Light at 10 o'clock, and that passengers and crew went down with her, but a short distance from land. A large quantity of wreckage, including trunks and other material, has come ashore, and at dark last night 34 bodies had been recovered from the surf by the life-saving crew at the Highland station. One of the bodies

was that of a woman.

News of the disaster was brought through the agency of a special train, as communication with Boston by wire from points on Cape Cod is impossible on account of the havoc wrought by the The Portland carried 65 pas sengers and a crew of 15.

New York, Nov. 29.-The French Cable Co. has received a despatch from its office at Cape Cod, Mass., saying that dozen bodies from the steamer Port land have been washed ashore at the sta-

Provincetown, Mass., Nov. 29.—The from the terrible storm which swept Probably never before have the waves tinued, the town was simply at sea, and the only way streets could be traversed was in boats. All shipping was damaged, and the loss in this harbor alone

is estimated at \$50,000. All the warehouses except the new one Hartford comp, by, are dashed to pieces.

of life is reported at this port. A large four-masted schooner is a shore off Race Point and is going to pieces. Houses have been wrecked at various

After nearly 60 hours of complete iso lation on account of the terrible storm Saturday night and Sunday, news of the situation at this town is started for the outside world by the only method of of the Gloucester Fish company's steam-

Twenty-seven vessels najority of these the crews were saved, or five of these wrecks were coasters, and the rest were fishermen. During the storm the beach was strewn with wreckage, streets were flooded, and wharves drifted out to sea. Four ice houses and a lobster factory situated on the beach point were destroyed.

AN AWFUL STORY.

places which were nearest the storm side world, and as the tale unfolded it was such as New England never heard before. It is from Cape Cod that the most terrible accounts of ruin and death coming, and of these the the Portland, with nearly 100 souls, overshadowed all. Miles and miles of coast-line are piled high with wreckage, most of which is ground so fine by the waves that identification of craft is impossible. It will be many hours before all places are heard from. Wires there are none, and railroads cannot break out the snowdrifts. To-night the only (Continued on page 2.)

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Spanish Premier Says Debts Will Be Assumed -American's Moral Evolution.

By Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 29.—The govern ment has been officially advised of the successful termination of the peace nego tiations with Spain. A cablegram to this effect which has been received from Chairman Day was read at to-day's cabinet meeting by the secretary of

By the terms of the treaty, which will be signed during the present week, Spain surrenders to the United States her sovereignty in the Philippine archipelago and Guam island, one of the Ladrone group. In lieu of all claims to indemnity the United States will pay Spain the sum of \$20,000,000 in gold or its equivalent.

Before returning to the United States the American commissioners will secure from the Spanish representatives, if possible, a proposition for the sale to the United States of Strong island, one of the Caroline group, some distance east and south of Luzon, for a cable station. Should Spain, however, decline to sell the island for a reasonable sum, the matter will be dropped, for the present at least. The possible cession of this island is not involved in the pending treaty, and no pressure will be brought to bear to induce Spain to part with it. A large part of the time at to-day's cabinet meeting was consumed in the discussion of the customs tariff which is to be put in operation in all parts of Cuba as soon as the United States takes formal possession. the American commissioners will secure

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The apprehension which manifested itself some time ago over the attitude of Aguinaldo and the Philippine insurgents has not entirely disappeared, though the administration believe they will accept the situation without any conflict with the United States. The matter was discussed at the meeting to-day, and some of the views expressed indicate a possibility that the insurgents may yet have to be dealt with. On the whole, however, the President expects that serious trouble with Aguinaldo will be avoided, but at the same time has guarded against an outbreak by taking precautionary measures. The American force already in occupancy of part of the Philippines is regarded as altogether inadequate to cope with any emergency that may arise. The future government of the islands came up incidentally, and Secretary Alger made some suggestions as to details of a military government of the islands. of a military government of the

DEBTS WILL BE PAID.

London, Nov. 30.—The Madrid correspondent of the Daily Mail says: "Sener Sagasta asserts that if the United States insist upon Spain paying the Cuba and Philippine debts she will honor her signature to the extent of her resources, and that the government will not refuse to accept this burden."

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London, Nov. 30.—The Madrid correspondent of the Standard telegraphing Monday by way of the Spanish frontier says: "The government, apprehensive as to the effects of signing the peace treaty, has ordered the military and civil authorities to maintain the greatest vigilance over telegrams and telephones. Strict sensorship of newspapers is continued throughout the country and special severity is shown with respect to articles alluding to the peace negotiations. Unfavorable information has been received from official sources concerning the Carlists' propaganda and preparations are assuming serious proportions."

A MORAL REVOLUTION.

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Paris, Nov. 29.—The Journal des Debats says: "The Americans having started out to liberate Cuba, have ended with pocketing what remained of Spain's colonies. This moral evolution of the Americans is edifying as a good example of the manner in which one can, almost in good faith, arrive at the formulation of the most outrageous demands by a confusion of ambition and duty at once, by considering an interest to be a divine right. Now that America has entered the arena of international politics, she may have some lively surprises in store, even for those who have been so ready to offer their friendship."

THE SPANISH EXODUS.

Havana, Nov. 29.—Marshal Blanco, it is expected, will leave for Spain early in the morning. At the hour of filing this despatch the boat of the captain of the port is waiting to carry him to the Villa Verde.

Verde. Two companies of the Otumba battal-ion embarked on the Villa Verde at 5 o'clock to-day. This evening the Span-ish steamer Covadenga sailed with 1,800

FLIPINOS CUTTING UP.

Manila, Nov. 29.—It is reported that a section of the insurgents, called the Guards of Honor, who are opposed to Aguinaldo, have captured San Ignacio, in the province of Pangasinan, island of Luzon, at the instance of the Spanish

riests.

Advices from Iloilo say the natives of the Vizcayas islands have established a republic independent of Luzon. In some of the islands hostilities are proceeding between the rival republics.

THE LONDON PRESS.

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London, Noy, 29.—The virtual conclusion of the Paris negotiations receives but small notice from the morning papers. Some of the papers ignore it entirely, while those offering any comment merely report their former views on a settlement regarded as a foregone conclusion and universally recognized as the best possible settlement for Spain and the world in general.

The Times in its editorial on the subject refers to the fiscal side of the question, and says: "Any administration entrusted with the government of the United States may surely be trusted without an amendment of the constitution to abminister this bit of external estate for the benefit of the nation as a whole."

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The Daily Chronicle says: "America has had her way and the time of the ne-

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gotiators has been largely wasted. So far as the decision to annex the Philip-pines goes the United States after some hesitation has chosen the narrow path of duty, which always attracts brave minds." SETTLING WITH SPAIN

LIBRARY AS A GIFT.

Leipsic Professor's Classical Collection Presented to McGill.

Montreal, Nov., 29.—(Special) — The classical library of Prof. Ribback, the lately deceased professor of classical philology in the University of Leipsic, has been presented to McGill University.

JUDGE TIRED OF KLONDIKE. Mr. Dugas Finds Climate Too Trying

and Also Has Trouble With His Eyes.

Montreal, Nov. 20.—(Special)—It is understood that Judge Dugas, who went to the Klondike a couple of months ago to succeed Judge Magnire, is troubled with his eyes and finds the climate so trying on them that he may have to resign.

EASTERN POLITICIANS

Col. Gibson's Election Protested-An other Mercier to the Fore.

Toronto, Nov. 29.—(Special)—A protest has been filed against Provincial Secretary Gibson, recently elected for East Wellington.

Montreal, Nov. 29.—(Special)—The provincial bye-election for Beauharnois wil be held December 19.— Wilfrid Merciei is the Liberal candidate and Arthur Plante, the Conservative.

CANADA IN ENGLAND.

Aberdeens the Guests of Her Majesty-Illustrated Lectures on Northwest Life.

Montreal, Nov. 29.—(Special)—A Star cable from London says: Archer Baker, European traffic agent of the C.P.R., is arranging for a series of lectures throughout the British Isles this winter

throughout the British Isles this winter in which the cinematograph will be used to illustrate Northwest life and farming. A movement is again being started for a residential Canadian club in London under the highest auspices.

The Earl and Countess of Aberdeen dined with Her Majesty yesterday and slept at Windsor Castle last night. They proceed to Haddo House to-morrow, where their home-coming is heralded with delight by their tenants and neighbors of all classes.

MANITOBA AND NORTHWEST.

Instructor on Blood Reserve Killed-Mr Sifton's Brother-Trans-Continental Trains.

Winnipeg, Nov. 29.—(Special)—Morti-mer Baker, farm instructor on the Blood reserve near Macleod, was killed yester-day by the caving in of a well which he was digging

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A discovery of petroleum is reported at Birdshill, twelve miles from Winnipeg.
It is reported that the settling of differences between the C.P.R and G.T.R. will result in a change in the time schedule of the transcontinental trains. C. P. R. officials when questioned stated that the change is as yet not fully decided upon.

MR. FOSTER ON POLITICS

He Deplores the Demand for Money t Win Elections—The Globe's "Growing Time."

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Toronto, Nov. 29.—(Special) — Hon. George E. Foster, who addressed the young Conservatives last night, in the first part of his speech gave advice to young men concerning organization, and speaking of the dignity of politics, he deplored the patronage system and wished that both political parties in this country would agree to put the public

Arrived at-Still Time for Reasoning

Washington, Nov. 29.—In view of a report current in London that the Behring sen question had been finally settled, it is stated in an authoritative quarter that a settlement has not been reached. The status is about the same as it was a week ago, except that a large amount of expert testimony has been taken and the two sides are waiting to shape the utmost concessions which each will grant.

Lord Herschell, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Senators Fairbanks and Faulkner, constituting the committee on questions relating to the lakes, were in session for two hours this afternoon, but the subjects were too numerous and important to permit more than general consideration at this first sitting of the committee since the commission came here.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Hon. John A. Nov. 29

Washington, Nov. 29.-Hon. John A. Washington, Nov. 29.—Hon. John A. Kasson, special reciprocity commissioner of the United States, to-night entertained at dinner the British-American joint high commission, now in session here. The affair took place in the banquet room of the Metropolitan Club, where covers were laid for 26. Toasts to the President, the Queen and the Emperor of Russia were drunk standing. The response to the toast of the Queen was made by the British ambassador, and that of the Emperor of Russia by the Russian ambassador. Other toasts were responded to as fol-

the Russian ambassador.
Other toasts were responded to as follows: "Dominion of Canada," Sir Wilfrid Laurier; "International justice, the HALL. GOEPEL & CO

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THE SEA'S FATAL FURY.

(Continued from page 1.)

means of reaching Cape Cod is steamer across Massachusetts Bay, a very disagreeable voyage, as the sea is yet boisterous. Word from Provincetown, however, tells of nearly 30 total wrecks, with the number of lives lost un-

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The best summing up in that section
is told by Captain Hard, jr., of the revenue cutter Dexter. He says the sight
in Vinyard Haven is one of desolation.
Hulls are piled up on the shores and
those vessels which are afloat seem mere
shells. He reports additions to the
wreck list in two schooners sunk off
Mememsha light and two big ones sunk
abreast of Presque isle. The fate of
their crews is unknown.

The financial loss in the various
branches of business is simply beyond
computation at this time and attempts
to reach a conclusion on the basis of the
seemingly meagre statements is impossible.

sible.

Report reaches here to-night from the southern end of Cape Cod that the steamer Gate City has been wrecked on Peak Hill bar.

Gloucester, Mass., Nov. 29. — The chooner Hiram Lowell has arrived here with 23 persons, the crew and passen for Boston for Shelburne, and Liver bool, N.S., wrecked off Seal island.

New York, Nov. 29.—Pilot Baesler, who arrived in port to-day, reports that this morning while cruising in a pilot boat he fell in with the British steamer Falka, which had on board Capt. Petit and seven men of the crew of the coastwise schooner D. K. Baker, bound from Charleston, S.C., for New York, which they abandoned in a sinking condition. The schooner had encountered the recent hurricane, during which the vessel was disabled, and became a hopeless wreck. HALIFAX REPORTS.

Halifax, Nov. 29.—(Special)—Bodies are being washed ashore at Herring love, six miles west of Halifax harbor. No doubt they come from a wreck of some kind, probably that of a small yes

sel.
The steamer Blanche M. Thornborne, from Halifax for Shelburne, is on the rocks in Liverpool harbor, full of water.
A barge which broke away from her tow off Cape La Havre on Sunday is still missing. The barge had a crew of 10 or 12 men on board.

KITCHENER'S SOUDAN SCHEME

The Sirdar Asks One Hundred Thou sand Pounds for Education of the Natives.

London, Nov. 30.—General Lord Herbert Kitchener, the Egyptian Sirdar, in an open letter to the morning papers today appeals to the British public to subscribe £100,000 to a fund to establish and maintain the Gordon menorial college at Khartoum, with a view of educating the Soudanese and continuing the work which Gordon commenced. He says the Queen and the Prince of Wales have consented to become patrons of the undertaking, and that Lord Salisbury has written him supporting the

of the undertaking, and that Lord Salisbury has written him supporting the scheme as "the only policy by which England's civilizing mission can be effectively accomplished."

Lord Kitchener announces also that the Baroness Burdett-Coutts and other people of wealth and high position support the enterprise.

At a banquet tendered him at Edinburgh last evening, Lord Kitchener explained his plans for the institution at Khartoum, and made a dramatic appeal for funds. He asked also for help from the "people of the great Englishenking sister nation of America." The Earl of Rosebery eloquently and patriotically endorsed the project.

He Talks Earnestly of the Disarmament · Proposition and Universal Peace.

Proposition and Universal Peace.

London, Nov. 29.—The Paris correspondent of the Times says: "The Matin will publish to-morrow (Tuesday) an interview of an English politician with Emperor Nicholas. The interviewer, who especially remarked the kindliness and modesty of the Czar's demennor, says he spoke sadly and regretfully of the attempts to embitter the relations of England and Russia. The conversation mostly turned, however, on the disarmament conference, as to which the Czar spoke with the utmost ardor, declaring that he wanted a tangible practical result.

powers might bind themselves not to increase their armament for a lustrum (five years), at the end of which they might meet again to decide upon future action. They might also settle their action of the property of menace or prosattitude in the event of menace or prospective hostilities. He suggested, as an example of possible action, that the recent Fashoda dispute might have been referred by Great Britain to the United States, and by France to Russia. If these failed to agree there might have been recourse to an arbiter, say the Emperor of Austria. In any case the delay would have made peace.

"The Czar protested, his interviewer says, with great indignation against the idea imputed to him of urging France and England into conflict, characterizing it as monstrous."

Berlin, Nov. 29.—The details of the new army bill just published show that the Prussian peace contingent will be increased by 11,424 men and 2,850 horses. The Saxon contingent will be increased by 2,071 men. Herr Eugene Richter, the radical leader, called this "Germany's answer to the Czar's disarmament proposal."

NAPANEE BANK ROBBERY. Ponton May Take the Stand in Effort to

Secure His Freedom.

Secure His Freedom.

Napanee, Nov. 29.—(Special)—It is learned that Ponton will take the stand in his own behalf and will tell his story. Col. Ponton states that the prisoner has nothing to conceal or fear.

James W. Mackie, "the whale," went on the stand to-day, and told of taking a drive to Napanee with a couple of strangers in the winter of 1896-7. They parted in Napanee, the strangers to drove to Kingston, the witness having hired the rig for the men to go there. He did not know anything about the robbery, and had never received the \$1.100 alleged to have been paid him in connection with it.

Nathaniel Easton and Fred. Cero, of Belleville, testified that on August 28, 1807, between 1 and 2 a. m., they visited Robert Mackie's house and delivered a message to him in person.

SIXTY PIGS POISONED.

tario Farmer.

Miscreant Causes Heavy Loss to an On-

London, Nov. 29.—(Special)—Sixty pigs belonging to Alfred Stewart, a Dorches ter farmer, died yesterday suddenly and simultaneously, an hour after being fed It is suspected they were deliberately poisoned. They were valued at \$700.

THE EMPEROR ON PALESTINE. Present Governors Disavow the His Majesty Thinks of Writing an Ac

count of His Tour—Bismarck Memoirs Fall Flat.

Berlin, Nov. 29.—Emperor William, i is rumored, intends to write for publication an account of his Palestine tour. The Bismarck memoirs have not created much of a sensation.

DISORDERLY REPUBLICS.

Ecuador in a State of Siege-Salvador Stands off Central American Organizers.

Lima, Peru, Nov. 29.-The republic of Eduador has proclaimed a state of siege.

Managua, Nicarragua, Nov. 29.—The
armed forces of the U.S. of Central America, not being assisted by Nicarragua, have retired unsuccessfully from Salva-dor. It is therefore probable that the federal organizers will declare further efforts anwise, being unable to force Salvador to join their union.

CUBANS WANT A LOAN.

Therefore the Visit of Their Leaders to Washington-Provisional Government Bankrupt.

ment Bankrupt.

Kingston, Jamaica, Nov. 29.—General Maro, the former president of the Cuban insurgent government, arrived here yesterday afternoon on a visit to his family. The members of the Cuban colony have tendered him a public reception. In an interview he confirmed the report that one of the chief objects of the mission of General Garcia and Senors Capote, Sanguily and Lanuza to Washington, is to endeavor to secure a grant or a loan of money sufficient to pay off the insurgent army, which is about to be bisbanded. He added that the provisional government is bankrupt and that unless the Cuban army is provided for satisfactorily grave and regrettable complications may arise.

THE DOWAGER'S JEWELLERY.

London, Nov. 29.—The police have arrested two men who had in their possession a considerable quantity of the jewellery recently stolen on board a train between Paris and Calais from the Dow

between Paris and Calais from the Dow-ager Duchess of Sutherland.

The Dowager Duchess, while on board a train bound from Paris for London by way of Calais early last month lost a satchel containing jewellery worth £30,-000. The Duchess reported the loss to the police but she had no clue to the thief. It was thought the satchel was taken while the Duchess was outside fer compartment conversing with a friend. Among the jewellery was a necklace valued at \$22,000. Immediately after the discovery of the theft the Duchess offered a reward of \$20,000 for the rethe discovery of the theft the Duches offered a reward of \$20,000 for the recovery of her property.

AUSTRIANS IN PRUSSIA.

Recent Expulsions Discussed and Retali ation Promised if Severe Meas-ures Continue.

Vienna, Nov. 29.-In the Reichrath to Vienna, Nov. 29.—In the Reichrath today the premier and minister of the interior, Count Thunhohen-Stein, replying
to an interpellation on the subject of the
expulsion of Austrians from Prussia
said that while there was undeniable severity in the action of the Prussian authorities, it could not be described as a
flagrant violation of the principles of
international law. Nevertheless, he added, the foreign office had strongly protested against the steps taken by the
Prussian officials and the assurances of
the Berlin cabinet warranted the hope
that greater—consideration—would be
shown to Austrians. But, said the premier in conclusion, should this expectation not be fulfilled, the government will
not hegitate teargetical property.

ERNEST SHERWOOD NOW.

Deserter From Esquimant.

Seattle, Nov. 29.—The self-confessed deserter from the English navy, who was arrested Sunday morning for attempting to obtain a bill of goods on Joe Febio's certificate of deposit, has confessed that his real name is Ernest Sherwood. He was arraigned before Justice Austin under that name yesterday afternoon, and in default of \$500 bonds was remanded to the county gool, pending a preliminary examination on the charge of forgery.

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There is a division of opinion as to whether Sherwood is really guilty of forgery. In attempting to endorse the certificate he forgot or could not read Febio's name, and wrote it Joe Debras. He will be tried on the assumption that he forged a fictitious name. Febio is a French-Canadian who cannot speak a word of English. He says that he has no idea how the certificate got out of his possession. He was around the city Saturday night, and during that time it disappeared.

THE WEST NOT CONSIDERED.

A reasonable amendment to Hon. Mr. Mulock's newspaper postage bill would be to make the free circulation are twice as large in the West as in the East. A mile, commercially, is much greater to a newspaper in the East than it is in the West, as the post offices are much more numerous. We dare say there are several papers published in the West where the free circulation circle would not include another post office but the one at place of publication.—Kootenay Mail.

"Arthur, our physician wants to send me to a summer resort for four weeks." Husband—Well, I can't blame him— Fliegende Blatter.

CHRONIC ECZEMA CURED.

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One of the most chronic cases of eczema ever cured is the case of Miss Gracie Ella Aiton, of Hartland, N.B. On a sworn statement Mr. Aiton says: I hereby certify that my daughter Gracie Ella was cured of eczema of long standing by using four boxes of Dr. Chase's Ointment. William Thistle, druggist, of Hartland, also certifies that he sold four cured Gracie Ella.

Robert Mackie's nouse and delivered a message to him in person.

Knowlton Sanford repeated his story about coming down from Belleville in a freight train to meet Pare and Holden in the woods during the summer of 1807.

200 Boys' English School Suits, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25 B. Williams & Co. 200 Boys' English School Suits, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25,

Animated Debate in the Deputies on Charges of Official Vindictiveness.

Dreyfus Proceedings and Promise Justice.

Paris, Nov. 28.—The chamber of deputies was crowded to-day, much interest being taken in the announced intention of some

of the deputies to interpellate the government on the Plequart case.

M. Paul Deschanet, republican, announced that he had received a request to interpellate the government regarding the Picquart proceedings. The premier, M. Depuy, prepared

until the decision of the court of cessation in the revision of the Dreyfus trial
is made known. This brought forth lively
appliause from the majority of the deputies.

M. Millerand, radical socialist, spoke in
a similar strain. He said it was absolutely
necessary to postpone the Picquart court
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interval in the said it was absolutely
to arise between the otherwise were likely
to arise between the otherwise were
martial and the court of cassation.

The president of the chamber at this
stage of the proceedings was frequently
urged to intervene in order to quiet the uproar on all sides.

M. Ponsare, republican, then made a
impassioned speech, during the course of
which he said it was not necessary to
confound the army with a few imprudent
men. The members of the court martial,
the orise-totimprisonment, M. Poincare remarked, was
imprisonment, M. Poincare remarked, was
beyond all precedent, and there were guilty
parties, he claimed, who were enjoying
impunity. (Applause). "There are other
forgers besides Picquart who ought to be
prosecuted," exclaimed the deputy. "These
lajustices will end by exasperating the nation." M. Poincare, who was minister of
public instruction in 1833-35, created a
sensation by adding: "We were attacked
fearned of the Dreyfus of the Broad the
mensyapters." Tremendous a planuse and
uproar followed his assertion.

M. Burthou, who was minister of public
works in 1894, here interjected: "I am
rendy to endorse the words of M. Poincare,
which are true." This called forth more
applause and the exclamations: "Absurd."
"It is inconceivable." There poon M. Poincare added: "The only proof of Dreyfus'
guilt in 1891 consisted of the borderenux.
No cablact minister, nor even the prossuncertain of the consisted of the borderenux.
On cablact minister, nor even the prossun Was last heard of on the 10th day of June, 1898, at a camp on the Mud river, about 68 miles northwest by west, or northwest of Quesnelle, in British Columbia, North America, while on a journey to Klondike.

Anybody having information that may lead to the drawery of the above, or evidence of the deat, of the same, is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Should also surprise followed this suggestion.

M. de Freychet sald: "The government on assuning place found the proceedings pending. We have only one anxiety, and that is to ascertain the truth. We do not object to furnishing the court of casation with all the evidence available, excepting the evidence lavolving the national defence. Both the civil and the millitary courts are fully equipped to deal with the respective cases, and as all desire to arrive at the truth, it will be reached. The government asks the chamber to respect the ladependence of the law, and the proposition of the propositio

M. Dupuy, the premier, declared that the Dreyfus affait "must remain purely judicial as the only means of reaching which may now be

hamper the work of the court of cassation. We will respect the decisions of the law. We will respect the decisions of the law. We are a government of law and refuse to be a government of arbitrary measures." (Prolonged cheers.)

The order of the day approving the statements of the government respecting the principles of the separation of the judicial and the principles of the separation of the judicial and the principles of the separation of the judicial and the principles of the separation of the judicial and the principles of the government respecting the principles of the government properties. And immense mass meeting was held to night in favor of Colonel Plequart. Thousands of people marched to the prison where Picquart is eenfined and cheered and demonstrated there on bis behalf. The anti-Picquarties ralled and there were several conflicts between the two bands.

The vote of the chamber enables the anti-Dreyns party to sing a song of victory, since the Dreyfusites demand was for the continuous control of the properties of the properti

court, they would be placed at its disposal.

Among the rumors current this evening to one that General Zurlinden, military governor of Paris, has already resigned. There is also a report that Col. Plequart will be released. Slight demonstrations continued in the streets up to midnight, but there was nothing serious.

The newspaper Les Doits de l'Homme publishes a despatch from its Antwerp correspondent stating that ex-Major Esterhazy, whose connection with the Dreyfus case has given him most unenvilable notoriety, was in Antwerp on Friday and that he went to Amsterdam, where he embarked on a steamer for the United States.

Paris, Nov. 29.—There is a pause in the

Picquart excitement. Threatened Inter-pellations in the senate and the recently displayed enthusiasm over the movement on Col. Picquart's behalf have fizzled out first because it was thought all would hay

Paris, Nov. 20.—General Mercier w banquetted this evening at Lemans, on the occasion of his retirement from the arm on half pay. In the course of a speche warmly defended the French armagnists attacks made upon it and sai "If in the near future it becomes necessary to apply to us, those who insult to-day will be only too glad to find the resisted and survived their work blind and imprudent destruction."

Paris, Nov. 29.—Christian Esterhazy ha raised an objection to payment of author' fees to his cousin. Major Esterhazy, whos memoirs of the Dreyfus case are now be ing published. Some time ago Christia Esterhazy lodged a complaint against the Major, whom he accused of obtainin money by fraudulent means, and the pre sent objection to the publishers paying his cousin author's fees is made with the object of recovering the money so lost.

Call this week and get bargains in Millinery at the Ster-

DIED.

SUTTON-At Victoria, B.C., on the 27th inst., Alfred Christopher, only son of Alfred Martin Sutton, M.B., of Nicola Luke, B.C., aged 11½ years. The funeral will take place to-day (Tnesday) at 3 p.m., from No. 48 Rae street, and at Christ church cathedral a

SIR ARTHUR GOLIN GURTIS, Bart

signed.
Dated the 9th day of November, 1898.
EDWARD HILDER, Solicitor,
27 Regent street,
London, England.

A By-Law respecting the Qualification o

Electors at Municipal Elections for the

Therefore, the Municipal Council of the orporation of the City of Victoria, enact

Sec. 1. Electors otherwise qualified to vot at any Municipal Election in the Municipal try of Victoria, shall be entitled to vote a such election, notwithstanding the non-pay ment of taxes, rates and assessments du or payable by such electors to the Muni-cipality.

Sec. 3. This By-Law may be cited as the Municipal Electors' By-Law, 1898."

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

be too late to be heard in that behalf,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
no26 C. M. C.

TO LET OR LEASE.

TO LET—A comfortably furnished bed room, with modern conveniences, 5 Michigan street, James Bay. no2

TO LET—Nicely furnished rooms, single or in suit, Apply Mrs. F. B. Williams, Balmoral, Douglas street. no29

LARGE ROOM (furnished) to let, with or without board. 127 Menzies. no20

FURNISHER ROOMS: modern conventences. 7 Blanchard street. n23

TO LET-Comfortable furnished rooms, sligle or double, with or without board. In a good locality; terms moderate. 51 Vancouver street. Please call any time in the morning.

TO LET.—A comfortable cottage of all tooms with gas, bathroom, hot and cold water, convenient to centre of city; will sell carpets and bilinds. Address W., tolonist office.

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST-S5 REWARD-On the road between Russell's station and Cormorant street, a parcel containing account books. Any person returning the same to the under-signed will receive the above reward. J. E. Painter, coal and wood office, 25 Cormorant street.

FOUND-On Thanksgiving day, a five-dollar bill. Apply X., Colonist office.

FOUND-A green leather purse on Fort street, containing money and papers, Owner can have same at this office, n30

STRAYED-A black cow; left ear mark.
The same can be had by paying expenses,
Apply C. Little, Sannich road. If not
claimed within ten days will be sold.

CHAS. E. REDFERN,

ing. 88 Yates street.

few minutes later. English papers please copy.

City of Victoria.

Toilet Preparations

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED.

B., this office.

WANTED—A well educated woman of integrity to invest in an established business; permanent position to energetic worker; must be a good talker; correspondence invited. Address Worker, Colonist office.

WANTED-A young woman for general housework. Apply 40 Government st. n30 WANTED-A smart young man to take or ders around the city; good wages to right party. Eraser, Colonist office. n30

WANTED—A girl to mind two children and assist with housework. Apply Mrs. G. M. Leishman, Dallas road. n3

A YOUTH, 16, desires situation; good knowledge of bookkeeping and typewrit-ing; would make hinself generally useful; good references. Address T. G., Col-onist office.

onist office.

CALTENER WANTED—(Lady or gent) in a legitimate, clean bosiness of a staple product, paying large profits each month; \$400 or \$500 capital required; thorough investigation given; also first-class references. Address "Partner," gent. delivery, P. O., Senttle, Wash.

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A GENTLEMAN seeks light employment; salary not so much an object as genial occupation. Address "L.," Colonist no20 WANTED—By Japanese boys, situation house and farm work. Apply Cample Cabins, room 9, 33 Chatham st. WANTED-Farm exchanged for house. Address C., Colonist office.

WANTED, IMMEDIATELY-First-class experienced clerk; must be good penn ligurer; stenographer preferred. In own handwriting, P. O. Box 601. WANTED—By experienced young man, position as shipping clerk, or tallyman preferred; wages low at start. Address P.O. Box 313, Victoria. "23

HAVE your boots and shoes repaired by O. Nangle, the prize boot and shoemaker. He don't charge credit prices. Repair-ing depot, 56 Fort street. Jy12

Ing depot. 50 Fort street. Jyl2
HOME WORK FOR FAMILIES—We want
the services of a number of families to do
knitting for us at bone, whole or spare
time. We turnish \$29 machine and worder
the variance of the services of the

FOR SALE—Engine and brick machine, in good repair; also a scow. Apply Mrs Price, Parson's Bridge.

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FIRST-GLASS OPENING—To one who can afford to wait a little. Let or sale very cheap, \$2,000. The Cowichan Lake Hotel, Vancouver Island. Has warranted a good rent (\$1,000) for several years, and will again, when the logging starts. Charter for railway applied for. Good opening to combine stock farming, having 169 acres, with lots of feed. Apply L.D., 33 Birdenge Walk, Victoria, B.C.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE—A farm of 160 acres, on the Maintand, with a comfort-authe hard-shished six-roomed cettage; all kinds of fruit; convenient to bonts, rallways, schools and churches. For particulars address B. W. Colonist office, at 8 FOR SALE-A fine buggy horse; also top buggy and harness. Apply M., this of fice.

FOR SALE-A horse. Apply Thorpe & Co., Ltd., Victoria.

Co., Ltd., Victoria,
FOR SALE, CHEBAP—Leaving the country,
One of the most beautiful homes on
Vancouver Ishand; on the Quamichan
Lake; two miles from railway (Duncan);
Gi or 118 acres, as desired; nearly half
cleared; 13-room house (hot and cold
water); large double barn and other buildings; close to first-class trout and salmon fishing, shooting, etc., also to good
tennis club. Apply to L. D., 33 Birdcage
Walk, Victoria, B.C.
Oct. 30.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LETTERS FROM DAWSON CITY—J.
Brady, leaving about Dec. 4, with d
teams; as a limited number only can
taken, early application is necessary f
priority. Cover same. Apply office, Da
son Hotel.

son Hotel. no.20
MRS. C. KOSCHE has returned from San
Francisco, where she has taken a full
course of lessons in FACE STEAMING
AND MASSAGE, and will be pleased to
receive lady customers; hair dressing;
latest styles. 42 Government street, Victoria, B. C. n26

FURRIERS—Latest styles capes, collarets and necklets, all kinds furs made over; seal skins a specialty; raw furs bought and dressed; reasonable prices. S. So-jail, 34 Government street. Victoria.

PIANO TUNING, ETC.—Jesse A. Longdeld (from Hopkinson's, England), tunes and repairs planos, harmoniums, American organs, pipe organs, etc., on reasonable terms; prompt attention given to all orders. 166 Pandora avenue, Victoria, B. C. n18

KAUFFMANN, from Chicago-violin and mandolin, Room 77. Sisters block. Office hours, 2 to 3 PROF. Plano, Five S p.m. 1

LODGES AND SOCIETIES.

80NS OF ENGLAND—Alexandra Lodge A.O.U.W. Hall, 2nd and 4th Thursday J. G. Taylor, Secretary.

SONS OF ST. GEORGE-znd and ith Mon-day in A.O.U.W. Hall. Englishmen wel-come.

W.O.W. meets 1st and 8rd Fridays in A.O. U. Hall. W. Jackson, clerk.

Roll Bacon Sweet Pickled Hams

Jameson's. 33 FORT STREET

THE LOCAL NEWS.

evening several hours were spent in the discussion of new by-laws. No other business came before the meeting.

Awaiting an Owner.—A pretty little silver match box, containing a small sum in money, was picked up yesterday by one of the district messenger staff. The box bears a flag device and monograms, presumably of the owner, who can recover his property by calling at the office of the B. C. D. T. Co.

Looking for a Race.—A Vancouver professional sprinter named McConnell, who claims to be just a little bit faster than anyone else in these parts, is anxious to make a combination race with any three Victoria runners, allowing them five, ten and fifteen yards' start in a hundred yard dash. Particulars may be had from "Denver" Ed. Emith.

Last Day to Register.—Thursday is the last day on which househoacers can register to vote at the coming anancipat election, and to accommon. Those wishing to have their names anced on the list, the office of the assessor will be kept open between 7 and 9 th. a evening, and 7 and 8 to-morrow evening. According to the property of the second of the seco

New Dancing Academy.-Miss Elaine New Dancing Academy.—Miss Elaine Telford's dancing academy was formally opened with a largely attended social and dance under the management of Mr. E. Rochon, in Harmony hall last evening. For the dance the Rochon family orchestra furnished a specially fine programme of music and the entertainment in its entirety was greatly enjoyed. It is the intention of Miss Telford to hold week'tly dances. weekly dances.

Basket Ball-The league game between Basket Ball—The league game between the Swifts and No. I company takes place to-night at the Drill hall at 9:15. The teams are evenly matched so that a close and exciting game is looked for. Mr. D. O'Sullivan will act as referee A meeting of the Victoria Basket Ball League will be held in the rooms of the J. B. A. A. to-morrow at 8 p.m., when delegates from the different teams are urgently requested to attend.

Prospecting at Princess Royal.—Mr. Colin Cameron, who arrived from the North on the steamship Danube yesterday and is a guest at the Dominion, has in his possession a number of rich-looking specimens of peacock copper ore. He has located eight claims on the island, all on the one lead and advantageously situated for shipping purposes. Mr. Cameron leaves for Vancouver to-day, there to meet a party of capitalists relatives. there to meet a party of capitalists relative to the handling of the claims.

Secured Their Acquittal .- Wilson and Secured Their Acquittal.—Wilson and Cummings, two of the trio arrested some weeks ago in connection with the theft of a boat belongong to Mr. M. Young, of the New England, secured their acquittal on coming before Chief Justice McColl in the Speedy Trials court yesterday, the police being unable to directly identify them with the theft. Bucknall, the third member of the party, acknowledged himself guilty, and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labor.

with hard labor.

The work of the Church.—In Calvary Baptist church last evening Dr. Spencer spoke on "Miracles of to-day and healing of the sick." The Doctor gave a very clever address and quoted freely from scripture showing how Christ gave his desciples power to do and work signs and wonders in His name. Many people to-day were blaming the church for not doing miracles but they were making a mistake as the churhes were doing this every day in many wonderful ways. God had bestowed upon the church many gifts as the apostle Paul writes and we are to covet earnestly the best of these. To-morrow evening the subject will be "The Second Coming of Christ."

A Musical Treat.—Those who had enjoyed the first matinee recital given by F. Victor Austin and the teachers of the Austin conservatory looked forward with pleasant anticipation to the second given in M. W. Waitt & Co.'s hall yesterday afternoon. Thiough attended only by invitation and notwithstanding the very storny weather the event was largely patronized. The three artists providing the programme, which has already appeared in print in Sunday's issue, were Mrs. H. Walshe-Windle, Mr. F. Victor Austin and Mr. F. Finch-Smiles. The programme was a very pretty one, comprogramme was a very pretty one, com-prising seven numbers, which were ren-dered in a finished and very capable

Descriptive of British Columbia.— Mariners, who have occasion to search the pages of the British Columbin Pilot not infrequently find things which bring forth a laugh or for a moment cause them to reflect upon what manner of province this is. The Pilot is an official guide and every now and again is rethem to reflect upon what manner of province this is. The Pilot is an official guide and every now and again is revised but somehow certain descriptive matter is left stand that for the good of British Columbia should be eliminated. A few extracts taken from this very valuable book by a navigator yesterday are as follows: "The inhabitants of Port Simpson are not Christians, like those of Metlakatlah; a spirit called whiskey is drunk and under its influence they commit many crimes, and as they invariably bave their arms beside them, they shoot one another (marginal note.) 'It is advisable for strangers not to visit the village on those occasions.' * * Slavery is reported to be still in existence among them. The dead are usually burned. A slave after death is thrown into the harbor, without any sorrow being expressed. Wood, water, potatoes and crabs can be obtained at Port Simpson."

St. Andrew's Day Services.—To-day

St. Andrey's Day Services.—To-day being the festival of St. Andrew, there will be special intercessions throughout the Anglican church, in behalf of the foreign mission work. At Christ church there will be a celebration of holy communion at 8; morning prayer at 11; a service of intercession at 3, with an address by the Bishop; and evensong, with a sermon upon mission work among the Chinese by Rev. J. Grundy at 8 p. m. Mr. Grundy has had 17 years' experience in China, and is in charge of the Church of England work in this city. There will also be services in the majority of the other Episcopal churches today, the order at 8t. Barnabas' belng; Holy eucharist, 8 a. m.; and evensong, with address by Rev. Cannon Paddon, at 8 p. m.

THE QUADRA RETURNS.

Bylaws Considered.—At a meeting of New Northern Lights Found to Be in Satisfactory Condition—Snow Satisfactory Condition—Snow at Bella Bella,

Capt. Walbran, of the government steamer Quadra, says that at Bella Cook when have already been published. It is not yet concluded.

St. Andrew's Day.—The members of the St. Andrew's Day with a banquet at the Hotel Driard this evening. At this annual gathering of Scotsmen a very large attendance is looked for. The klegma quartette will play during the evening.

Awaiting an Owner St. Andrew's Day with a banquet at the Hotel Driard this evening. At this annual gathering of Scotsmen a very large attendance is looked for. The klegma quartette will play during the evening.

Steamer Walla Walla arrived last night from San Francisco with 9 cabin and 30 steerage passengers and 84 tons of freight. of freight.

The bark Harvester goes in the dry dock this morning to complete her over-hauling. She has been chartered to load at Port Blakeley.

- Fort Blakeley.

 ENTERED.

 Islander from Vancouver.

 City of Seattle from Port Townsend.
 Danube from Port Simpson.
 Queen City from Port Simpson.
 Cottage City from Mary Island.
 Troubadour from Gordon Hend.
 Princess Louise from Westminster.
 Garland from Port Angeles.
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 Princess Louise from Westminster.
 Grand from Port Angeles.

 Cottage City for Seattle for Port Townsend.
 Princess Louise for Westminster.
 Garland for Port Angeles.

Angus M. Ego, late constable at Sidney, is staying a few days in the city and is a guest at the Dominion.

A. C. Wilby and wife, of Rivers Inlet, arrived down by the Queen City and are staying at the Dominion.

M. B. O'Dell, of Penticton, is registered at the Dominion.

Mrs. C. E. Worsfeld returned from the Mathiand by last evening's Islander.

U. S. Customs Officer S. J. Latimer and Captain Lloyd were passengers from Scattle by last evening's City of Scattle.

R. E. Gosnici, lass returned from New Westminister, bringing home Mrs. Gesquil, who has been iii in the hospital at the Royal City for some time.

R. A. Corbett, the C.P.R. agent at Wrangel, came down on the Cottage City from Juneau, where he has been ill at the hospital.

W. M. Rice. United States immigration

With. Rice, United States immigration agent for British Columbia, was a guest at the Baldwin hotel, San France, the time of the big fire. He was able to get out with all his papers and other bolongings.

Hon, Justie.

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Todd Lees, of Vancouver, is at the Victoria.

torla, Jack Dalton, the Pathfinder of Alaska, came over from the Sound last evening. W. Pellew-Harvey, of Vancover, is at the

ard.

S. Trench, who has been visiting the vince, returned last evening from a t to the mainland.

J. Usoorne and wife, of Honolulu, here to meet the Miowera, due on usedor.

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Holland was a passenger inward on Islander last evening. Sinclair returned last evening from Alainland.

Mainland. Falls, of the local office of the Ham-n Powder Company, returned last even-from a visit to the interior. Davis, Q.C., and Lewis Lukes, of icouver, registered at the Driard yes-

I. Drummond, of Saturna Island, is at ouse, of Alberni, is at the

A. E. Waterhouse, of Albernl, is at the New England.
R. G. Cunningham, of Port Essington, is a guest at the New England.
Fed. Humber arrived from Skagway yesterday. He is interested in some 25 claims in the Atlin lake district.
A. R. Johnston, of Nanzimo, is a guest at the Victoria.

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"How long does it take you to do up a white ruffled shirt?" Laundress — Generally about two washings, ma'am.—Life.





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Dawson's Municipal Government—Tim-ber Cutting Rights—Murderers to Swing.

Yesterday's tilo of Northern steamers brought advices from Dawson from which it is learned that Commissioner Oglivic has approved the municipality ordinance. This provides for an election in January of a Mayor and twelve aldermen. The candidates for office must be British subjects, chosen by the people, the franchise being given for the first election to all etizone. given for the first election to all citizensof whatever nationality-who have resided of whatever nationality—who have resided in Dawson for thirty days prior to the date of election, and have reached the age of twenty-one. At subsequent elections the same conditions are to remain, but a property qualification of \$200 or income qualification of \$400 is added. The proposition to allow women to vote was rejected. The innits of the city are made to include Klondike City, on the south side, and the hill back of the flats—the town containing four wards, with three aldermen to each. four wards, with three aldermen to each.

four wards, with three aldermen to each. Warrants for the execution of Henderson, who mudrered his partner, Peterson, at Bennett lake last fall, and of the four Indians guilty of the McKilintock river killing at Marsh lake last fall, have reached Dawson, the execution being set for the 1st of November, and Commissioner Ogilvie declaring that there will be no mitigation of sentence in either case.

entence in either case. The strike on Selwyn creek, from which so much was expected, will not turn out valuable. The Selwyn is about 120 miles from Dawson, and forks nine miles from the mouth. The principal holdings belong the mouth. The principal holdings belong to the discoverer, Duval, who still has con-fidence in the stream, although five thous-and men after thoroughly prospecting the creek declare it does not contain gold in paying quantities, to work. The stampede to Porcupine creek (Dalton trall) still continues and the miners are

trail) still continues, and the miners are staking claims, although the snow lies on the ground. The late comers from Dawson state that

The late comers from Dawson state that Frank Slavin, the ex-prize fighter, has secured the monopoly right to cut timber for five miles along the Klondike, and is granting cutting rights to miners at \$7 per cord.

GOSSIP OF THE RING.

Young Hill" of This City Matched to Spar "Kid" Welch-An Expert on Sharkey-Corbett Fiasco. "Denver" Ed. Smith returned last even

Ing from Vancouver, where he acted as referee at the ten-round sparring contest between the old Canadian champion, Hawkins, and Cy White, otherwise known as the Butcher Boy, from Sandon. The principals desired to settle their dispute with four course gloyes; these were ruled out. four-ounce gloves; these were ruled out by the sergeant of police, however, and the mill proceeded with the five-ounce pil-lows. Two knock-downs were witnessed during the progress of the engagement, which was given to Hawkins on points, he clearly excelling his antagonist in clever-ness, despite his many years, disadvant-age.

ness, despite his many years, disadvantage.

Before returning home "Denver" completed arrangements for a match for his protege, "Young Hill," of this city, who will next meet "Kid" Welsh, of Vancouver. The articles provide for a twelve-round go, Marquis of Queensbery rules, to take place at Vancouver on the 23rd December. The men are to weigh at 120 pounds by 3 p.m. the day of the contest, which is for \$250\$ a side and all gate money. James L. Farron, of Vancouver, is selected as temporary stakeholder, and the referce is to be mutually agreed upon three days before the contest.

ly agreed upon three days before the contest.

In a letter which the veteran "Denver" has just received from Bob McAlpine, another old-time ring follower and a good judge of fighters, the latter says that the recent Sharke-Copret says that the recent Sharke-Copret of it up to the short that out, when Corbett appeared to rally and force matters. It looked like a dying retival, however, and McAlpine is convinced that had the unexpected not happened the sallor would very shortly have had the ex-champion out.

ONLY A FIGUREHEAD.

In suggesting that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too weak to be anything better than the highly ornamental figurehead of his own government, E.B. Osler, M.P., merely expressed a belief which coincides with the fears of not a few Liberals.—Toronto Telegram.

Gold on the Taku.—Mr. T. Geiger, writing from Atlin, states that McKee creek has been staked for two or three miles above discovery, and that the prospects are very good. One man took out

The ex-regent of Holland objects serious ly to the term queen downger. Her daughter has, therefore, issued a royal decree ordering that she be henceforth known as "Queen Emma of the Netherlands."

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NORTHERN ROUTE.

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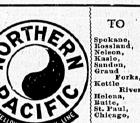
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PLACER MINES.

Through the kindness of the editors of a number of provincial contemproaries, the Colonist is able to present a series of articles in answer to the question: Is it desirable to amend the mining law of British Columbia so as to prohibit the ownership of placer claims by aliens? Other expressions of opinion will doubtless come to hand later, and we shall be very glad to print them. We reserve comment until all our friends, who intend to discuss the question,

THE TRAMWAY PROPOSITION.

have been heard from.

The proposition of the tramway com pany in reference to the bridges over James and Rock bays calls for very serious consideration. In regard to Rock Bay, it is very doubtfu! if the city ought to renew the present long bridge. better way can be found around the head of the bay, where traffic would be freed from the necessity of slowing up and walking horses at all. If the tramway company wish to erect a separate structure across Rock Bay, it occurs to us that they should be permitted to do The question of terms is another

In reference to James Bay, we submit that the proposal to erect two bridges there ought not to be entertained for a the expense to the company would be less, if the latter plan were adopted, others. This great motto, which lies a than by that suggested by its manager. It is unwise, we submit, to permit any cupy a portion of James Bay with will affect us this year or next year, but than to the police, for the abatement o how it will or may work in the future, the bad boy nuisance. One of these days it may be found ex-tremely desirable to get such a bridge, if it were erected, out of the way, and the cost to the citizens would be a pretty

The Colonist is unable to discover th slightest reason why the car line should not be carried around the head of the The business of the company would not be decreased, but increased, thereby. The convenience of more peothereby. The convenience of more peo-ple would be served by the location of the line up Humboldt street, and not a single individual, who now uses the trams, would be in the slightest degree inconvenienced. A very slight increase in the running time would be necessary, but as compared with the loss of time made necessary by having to slow up on the bridge, the difference would not be worth talking about, especially as there would rarely be any stops along Belleit would pick up very considerable addi-

The time has come when the future of private corporation one side of any by that party.

THE ST. LAWRENCE

the harbor of Montreal, and the channel that in making Mr. Templeman a will prove true, and that a scheme will had elected him, they could get rid be submitted to parliament which the press of Canada, irrespective of party, can fully endorse. Anything that tends to the expansion of the commercial and financial importance of Montreal will be of incalculable benefit to the whole Dominion. The greatness of New York reacts upon the whole United States. It is a strong financial centre, from which radiate nerves of enterprise which make the whole country tingle with activity. So it will be in Canada if we can build up on the St. Lawrence a city greater than Montreal now Already British Columbia has felt the beneficial effects of having in Canada such centres as Montreal and Toronto. Almost daily we hear of what Montreal and Toronto capital is doing to develop our great resources. In proportion as these cities advance in wealth and importance, their ability to aid in the utilization of the immense resources of Canada will expand. Therefore we Lawrence route to the sea, and the whole of the indecent haste with which Mr. country will watch with the keenest

interest to see how the present ministry intends to deal with it. The people will stand by a prudent and broad policy, it carried into execution in a business-like way by men in whose honor and judgment they have confidence.

THE BAD BOY QUESTION.

The bad boy nuisance seems perennia in Victoria. The Colonist is very much opposed to such interferences with personal liberty as that implied in the proclothing the police with power to stop young people on the street at night and demand their business, and to take them into custody if the explanation does not seem sufficient, is repugnant to the Colonist's idea of British liberty, and the right of parents or guardians to regulate their own family affairs. The curfew by-law is a confession of the impotence of the community to preserve both order and liberty at the same time. Nevertheless, we admit something must be done in Victoria to put down the bad boy nuisance.

We submit that the wisest way is to bring home to parents and guardians the fact that they are responsible for the mischief done by boys under their control. If this can be done, there will be proper restraint at home and much less mischief abroad.

do, that boys who do malicious mischief are the sons of people in humble circumstances. The Colonist's information is quite the other way, and is to the effect that some of the worst boys in the city represent families who occupy good positions in the community.

Much in the way of abating this nuisance can be done in the schools. Boys ought to be taught the lessons of citizen-ship very early in life. They should be taught, when they are very little felows, that they have their part to play even then in maintaining the institutions under which they live. Let no one say that this cannot be done. It has been moment. We see nothing to recommend done time and again. The child, who is such an arrangement. No good pur-old enough to learn his first lessons in pose would be served by it that cannot be equally well served by carrying the the fundamental principle of liberty uncar line around the head of the bay, and der law, that he must so use his own others. This great motto, which lies at the very foundation of British liberty which is indeed the very epitome of the private corporation, and especially a corporation controlled out of the province, to secure any vested rights to ocshould instruct his pupils that it was for bridge. In the event of the tide flats being filled and converted either into a pleasure ground or a business area, it Charta. They should be made to underwould be highly undesirable that any stand that no boy is worthy of the name such corporation should have the right of a Briton unless, while insisting upon to erect a structure across the bay. We his own rights, he respects those of must look at this matter not only as it others. We look to the schools, rather

REDISTRIBUTION.

The Kootenajan discusses redistribu tion, and lays down the positive proposition tion that parliament has the right any time between the taking of a de cennial census to redistribute the representation of a province. Our contemporary is so very positive upon this point that we must ask for its authority for the opinion. It cannot be found in the B. N. A. act, nor be inferred from any

The Kootenaian seems to look with favor upon the proposition to deprive Victoria of a representative, for the reason, among others, that Victoria saw fit to elect two Conservative members at the last general election. We do not did not grasp the responsibility of the remember a more infamous proposition situation; the Germans do not possess in politics than this. If the fact that a onstituency saw fit to elect representaville street. No one can deny that if the line were carried up Humboldt street is to be regarded as a justification for an interference with their share of the membership of a province, we have come to the end of popular government James Bay must be settled. It can be converted into a very valuable piece of would bring a blush to the cheek of converted into a very valuable piece of property, if the city takes hold of the matter in the right way. Its value will name of Canada is mentioned. The The be greatly reduced, if two bridges are amazing thing about this proposition is to be erected across it, one of them to that it has emanated from highly inflube owned by a private corporation. It would be about as reasonable to give a has not been repudiated in any quarter The Victoria Times is street in the city, with permission to mute while this threat is made against does not mean to say that the Colonist erect a structure between the street and seven hundred feet of vacant lots.

The city. Possibly Senator Templeman attempted to shut off discussion of this matter. The Colonist discussed it fully, THE ST. LAWRENCE

WATER ROUTE.

It is announced in a semi-offical way on several occasions. If this is the intention of the federal that it is the intention of the federal government to so improve the canals, federal ministry, we have only to say told them that there was no law which of the St. Lawrence, that the St. Lawrence will be the great grain route to more than it deserves. The people have Europe. We earnestly hope that this the sad reflection that whereas, if they

> protest against the suggested injustic to Victoria, which it holds will be in direct violation of law, if it is attempt ed, and will stamp the government at tempting it as the most arbitrary and brutal ministry ever in power in a British country. Will the Liberals of Victoria stand idly by while their city is despoiled?

An American cartoon represents Spain as Chivalry and Uncle Sam as ordering her to get off the earth. Spain long ag ceased to be representative of chivalry. A modern error is to deery this ancien order, but it was one of the greatest and most beneficial institutions the world

Attorney-General Martin felt compelled to apologize to the city council his discourtesy in omitting to notify hold that all Canada is alike interested them that he had suspended Police Magin the proposed improvement of the St. istrate Macrae. This is additional proof

The United States, having resolved to take possession of the Philippines, the second volume of the history of the republic may be said to have been opened. Many writers foresaw that the time was not far distant when the American re public would look beyond the seas for new territory. It was hardly to be expected that a people, who in less than a century had extended not only their nom-inal dominion but all the accessories of a high civilization across this continent would rest content upon the shore of th Pacific, while great fields lay open to them on the other side of the ocean. But while this is true, no one foresaw the steps by which the new departure would be brought about. Not a living man ed that the time had come to interfere in Cuba, he spoke the word that would lead to the setting up of the American flag upon one of the richest regions of the Orient, and introduce the nation into the arena of Old World politics. So true it is that the wisest cannot foresee the results of any step. We are reminded of the unexpected results which flowed from the Jubilee celebration of last year The sons and daughters of the Empir came from afar to London to pay their tribute to the worth of the gracious lady, who for sixty years had worn the unsullied crown of this realm, and a won derful and unexpected thing happened The Empire for the first time realized its own grandeur, and the world stood amaz ed at the spectacle. The trend of history has been distinctly different since those eventful days, when "long leagues o men and welcome" greeted the Royal Woman, and the "far-called navies" melted away. The story is like a page from holy writ. So, too, in the case of the United States. In spite of all the fire-enters demanded, the intervention of the United States in the affairs of Cuba was from humanitarian motives. The sinking of the Maine gave the impulse to duty, but the duty was there before The reward of this humanitarian deed

A NEW DEPARTURE.

belong to the country. But it is as true to-day, as it ever was that "to whom much is given, from him much shall be required." The burden which the United States has assumed is not one to be treated lightly. It is on that will test the national strength in an unexpected manner. But it cannot be laid down. The English-spenking race may take up responsibilities, but it can never rid itself of them. Through some inscrutable law the burden of maintaining freedom and enlightenment has been cast upon our race. It was so in India; it was so in Africa; it will be s in the Orient. A strange thing in this connection is that almost every British newspaper foresaw from the outset that Spain would have to give up the Philippines to the United States. At a time when not a leading paper in the republic was prepared to commit itself to such a policy, across the whole of Canada there was a chorus of opinion practically unanimous in favor of such an outcome of the war. Never were the papers of Canada so liberally quoted in the United States as upon this question. The Amthe unexpected view of the case, and for a time they wavered in their intentions It is curious to note that some of the leading opponents of expansion were o German origin. This was not due to any disloyalty of the German-Americans t their country. It simply signified that the German element of the population the Anglo-Saxon instinct. But the latter won the day, as it will win always and the irrevocable step has been taken Henceforward there can be no more en mity between America and Britain, The

is an empire beyond the seas, which a

year ago no one supposed would ever

The Province says that a short time ago an attempt was made "to shut off discussion of a matter vitally affecting the good government of the province, and that the Colonist was a party to it The reference is of course to the connec tion of Messrs. Turner and Pooley with a mining company. Surely the Province dign punishment for having had the although daily threatened with proceedcould prevent them from proclaiming their innocence and supporting their assertions with proof, and that no man's mouth could be closed in a British country by charging him with a crimina Surely the Province has not forgotten this.

> The Times says that the policy of the Conservative party is to stand still. Some one ought to give the Times les sons in the history of Canada. Most people are under the impression that since confederation Canada has made considerable progress. In 1867 Canada consisted of four provinces. Four new provinces and the vast Northwest Territories have been added, and by the Conservative party. The C. P. R. monument to the servative party. The present condition of the Canal system is another monument to the same party. But why go over the list? The history of Canadian progress for twenty-four out of thirty

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active volcano somewhere up in the Atlin country. We can quite believe it. We are prepared to believe anything that is said about Atlin between now and next spring, that is to believe it temporarily. There is a class of people in other class that believe everything. Of fun out of life, provided they do not act upon their belief. If you read a terrific story of how some tremendous fellow slew a half-dozen grizzly bears with no weapon but a jack-knife, there is a lot of fun in believing it if you can. It would not be wise, however, to tackle such a contract. The whole United States a few yars ago was greatly entertained by a timely story about some volcanoes to be seen from Mount Rainier. The story was timely in the sense that it was told at a time when no contradiction was possible. Dick Willoughby's phantom city was a positive delight to people who believed about it. The fellow who is all the time saying "I don't know about that," may be terribly wise, but he misses a heap of

The Colonist understands that offence has been taken by some of the naval people because the word "shellback" was applied to some bluejackets. Certainly no offence was meant. We do not approve of the use of slang terms in re gard to any person or thing, but it is fair to mention that William Clark Russell in one of his novels uses the word "shell back" in a complimentary sense, so that it is hardly a term of opprobium.

innocent enjoyment, just like over-wise

children do who do not believe in Santa

Caseade City has its first newspape The Maple Leaf. Long may it remain unwithered. The first thought was to say long may it remain green, but on looking through its columns, nothing sug

PROCEEDINGS IN CONTEMPT.

The Vancouver World's View-Hov They Talk About Judges in

Great Britain. rom the Vancouver World.

From the Vancouver World.

Victoria has on hand another batch of libel cases. Messrs. Ellis and Lugrin, of the Colonist, are asked to appear before the courts for the expression of opinion appearing in that paper as to the advisability of a judge, who has been an active partizan in the provincial elections before his elevation to the bench, sitting on some of the election protest cases. Our highly esteemed contemporary was of the opinion that it would not be expedient for him to do so, not that any partiality would be shown to the party of whom he was an ardent supporter during the recent campaign, but simply that it would not give the opposition an opportunity to with vince cart campaign, but simply that it would not give the opposition an opportunity to express their doubts as to his impartiality should be decide in favor of the factor of the covernment candidates. We cannot see that such an expression of opinion calls for a libel suit. If it does, where is our boasted freedom of the press? We have heard the opinion expressed in this city onist the prospects of the government, in discussing the prospects of the by-elections, that in having them tried by the judges recently appointed the benefit of the doubt, if any, ming in giving a decision, would be in favor pointed the benefit of the doubt, if any, in giving a decision, would be in favor of the government candidate. This we maintain could not be so, but there are nevertheless a large number of rabid partizans who cannot see that the elevation of a man to a judgeship makes him a paragon of perfection as far as having political sentiments which might influence him in giving a decision is concerned. Were these cases tried by an older judge, no doubts could be expressed as to the justness of the judgment. The libelling of the Colonist is certainly uncalled for and we predict that the charge will not be sustained. This jumping on the press on the slightest, pretext is a relic of the dark ages.

From the Law Times, Dec. 18, 1897.

We have been hoping to see Mr. Justice Darling removing professional disapproval of his promotion by tactful conduct and fulfilling his promise to uphold the best traditions of the Bench; but he has disappointed the profession. His appearance at the Kensington parliament has put him outside the bar of polite comment. If local parliaments are to incite and secure a judge to hear their approval of the Queen's action in his selection, if people are to welcome the views of the local parliaments, if judges are, in the local parliaments to make jokes about appointments, even referring to their alleged personal defects, where will our judicature be landed? Mr. Justice Darling believes that other great lawyers have established their reputations by as sorry methods as the enumeration of law books, which, they have read. He declined the work of supereogation of which he was capable. The From the Law Times, Dec. 18, 1897 ne years is the history of the Conser-

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golden value of silence was never more painfully demonstrated. Law Times, Feb. 12, 1898, If all we hear of the proceedings of the courts over which this judge presides, be true practitioners and suitors have by no means a pleasant time. Discourtesy and vanity are said to go hand in hand

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THE GENTEEL PREMIER.

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Mr. Osler's statement that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is a nice enough gentleman personally, but not a strong leader, has given offence to the chief beneficiary of the coal land job. The organ says Mr. Osler does not know what he is talking about when on the platform, that he is without national aspirations and that he is altogether a rather bad sort of man. But, as a matter of fact, Mr. Osler voices the business opinion of the country. Sir Wilfrid is regarded by men of commercial strength as a genteel individual, blessed with a pleasing volubility and a vivid imagination. He is good at talking, and would turn out, if he should apply himself to the task, some very excellent French poetry. Nobody disputes his poetical genius. In fact everybody admires it, But in the matter of business capacity he is wanting.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

SIR WILFRID'S NEW LOVE.

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The Soleil complains that its profit on government printing was only \$9 last year. Mr. Pacaud is the publisher of Le Soleil, and it was on the balcony of his house at Quebec that Sir Wilfrid Laurier received the returns of the election that made him premier of Canada. The men were friends for years. But Mr. Pacaud angered Mr. Tarte, and he is learning through his pocket that Mr. Tarte is master of the administration.—Montreal Gazette.

TARDY THANKSGIVING.

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It has become the fashion to hold the rational thanksgiving so late in the year that some have time to forget what they have to be thankful for. Gratitude grows less ardent as time elapses; and thanks are more hearty the more vivid the rememberance of the benefits which evoke them. Yet too much time has not sped for the people of Canada to remember generally that the present year has been a prosperous one. The country is doing very well in spite of the fact that a Grit government is in power; for it takes a very great deal of bad government to seriously impair the natural energies of a young and vigorous country. There may be reasons for not giving thanks so far as the government of the country is concerned; but on Thanksgiving Day a spirit of optimism is in order. We can at least be thankful that the Laurier government is one year nearer its end; we can rejoice at the remarkable Conservative reaction which has developed throughout the Dominion—Winnipeg Telegram.

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Meet This Evening.—The firemen meet this evening to close up accounts in connection with the Kinsey benefit fund. The only recent subscription received by the Colonist is from Capt. R. Archibald, \$10.

Back to Jail.—Yesterday Alice Warren was sentenced to three months with hard labor for stealing a blanket from the Wilson hotel. It is only a few days ago that the woman was released from gaol. James McDonald pleaded guilty to refusing to pay for a meal at a Japanese restaurant and was sent to the lock-up for 24 hours.

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When they put a man in gaol, he cannot follow his natural inclinations. He cannot eat what he wants to—he is limited to a very frugal diet. Is is not equally true of a dyspeptic? For all of the real enjoyment he gets out of life, he might as well be in gaol. He cannot eat what he likes, nor enough. He suffers much, gets little sympathy. At first, perhaps a little heaviness in the stomach, a little sourness, windy belchings and heartburn; headaches and billiousness and a foul taste in the mouth in the morning. Chronic constipation is almost inevitable, and means that the body is holding poisonous, impure matter that should be gotten rid of. The blood and the whole body. Impurity in the blood may lead to almost any discasse. Constipation is the start of it all. Dr. Pierce's Plensant Pellets cure constipation—cure it so it stays cured. No other remedy in the world will do that. Send 31 cents in one-cent stamps to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1,008-page Common Sense Medical Adviser, illustrated.

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Rather Overstated.—Malone and O'Connor, convicted of petty thieving, were not seatenced to four years and two years, respectively, as stated yesterday. The sentences were four months and two months.

Clearing House Figures.—The Victoria clearing house totals for the week end-ing yesterday were \$750,546—certainly a most satisfactory showing, when it is remembered that it represents only five days' clearing, the 24th (Thursday) be-ing Thanksgiving, and a public holiday.

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Robbers at Work.—If the story of Ah Mow, a Chinese domestic for the past nine years in the service of Mr. James A. Grahame, be true—and there seems no good reason to doubt it—highway robbers are once more operating; have robbers are once more operating in which they had to pole not only against the swift running river, but also against huge cakes of Ice. Time and time again were looke punched through the bottom of the red to walk down Hilliade avenue toward Chinatown, when he was seized from behind by two men, one appeared two then rifted his pockets, securing upwards of \$20. He is unable to give any description of his assailants, so the police have little or nothing to work upon.

That Texada Excursion.—Although they have still three clear days to think about it, very many Victoria, has been up to the present exclusively enjoyed by Nannimo. The business men, in addition to those interested it me mines, nave already made up their minds to take advantage of the special excursion to Texada island by the E. & N. railway company's steamer City of Nannimo. The business men appear to the William of the Texada trade, which, although they have still three clear days to think about it, very many Victoria, has been up to the present exclusively enjoyed by Vanconver firms, growing to such proportions that two weekly steamers—the Comox and the Coquitdam—are now required to handle it. On her present excursion trip the City of Nannimo is to leave her slip near the foot of Johnson treet at 8 p.m. on Saturday, making Texada by daylight Sunday and returning in the evening, so as to land her passengers home on Monday morning in the evening, so as to land her passengers home on Monday morning in the evening, so as to land her passengers ho

Death on the Rail—Just as the down train on the E. & N. railway rounded the curve and ran on the Chase river bridge, a short distance out from the Coal City, yesterday morning, Driver John Hughes noticed a Chinaman half way over the bridge and walking in the middle of the track. The air brakes were applied at once, but it was impossible to bring the train to a standstill it time to avert an accident, the Chinaman—instead of stepping to one side, as a white man would have done—commencing to run as soon as he heard the rumble of the train behind him. Once he looked behind him, and the next instant fell; either he had lost his footing or had intentionally tried to drop through the trestle. The result was that the engine struck him, causing an immediate and horrible death. The remains were picked up, and the train returned with them to Alexandria, where the inquest will be held.

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TRIO OF NORTHERNERS

Steamers Cottage City, Danube and Queen City Reached Port Yesterday.

Gold Commissioner Senkler and Party Frozen In at the Takeena River.

Norman Macaulay Has a Rough Trip From White Horse-Marine Mishaps.

It will probably be the end of December further news is received from the men the rich gold bearing creeks of Klondike. ing in yesterday in leave Skagway. interior, although none came from further than White Horse Rapids, the river below that being frozen over, and above full of floating ice. The condition of the watermanager of the White Horse tramway pelp you back to health will surprise you.

Dr. L. S. E. Sudgen, surgeon for the
Mounted police and the tramway company, and John F. Millington, an employee of the company, just nineteen days to make

ATLIN CONTINGENT.

There were but few men on the Cottage City from the Atlin lake country, that district also been pretty well cut off from the outside world by the softness of the trails. Mr. Oliver Rolstan, who is a guest at the Hotel Victoria, was a member of the last party to leave Atlin City for the coast. They came out by the way of Taku, and were fifteen days making the trip, having to plow through several inches of snow most of the way. When they fand the first having to plow through several inches of snow most of the way. When they left Atlin there was seven inches of snow on the ground, and it was still falling. Mr. Ralston says about 500 men will winder on their claims just as early as the weather permits. Although the claims are held over until June, he believes the men will be able to go to work in May. It is a grand country, he says, and will turn out a lot of gold next year. Other arrivals from Atlin were A. J. Stoel, who is at the Oriental, and C. R. Oubridge, who is at the Victoria.

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until spring. A number of men who have been working on the road came down on the Cottage City, unable to longer stand the severely cold weather. It takes a pretty hardy man to work in the open with the thermometer 15 degrees below zero and a gale blowing. The road is now graded to the summit, but there is about two and a half miles of rail laying and and ballesting to be done before travellers to the laterior will be saved the long climb to the summit.

SMALL STEAMER WRECKED

SMALL STEAMER WRECKED. of the wreck of the little steamer Detroit, which piled between Skagway and Juneau. She was blown on Shelter Island on Wednesday last and will probably be a complete wreck. Her twenty-three passengers and members of the crew were landed on the island with sufficient provisions to last them until assistance could be sent from Juneau.

Robert Davis, an employee of the Glazier RODERT DAVIS, an employee of the Grazier mine, Sheep creek, was killed on November 19 by falling over a cliff.

It was reported that there was an active volcano in the Atlin district, but the report could not be verified.

DANUBE'S ARRIVAL.

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Although experiencing very rough weather on both the north and south bound trips, the Danube, one of the best sea bonts in the Northern service, came in yesterday, a little before she was expected. This, too, in face of the fact that going North strong northerly winds were encountered and coming south the wind, was again against her. She was delayed for twenty-four hours in Wrangel Narrows by a snowstorm. The Danube brought thirty-three passengers, most of them ex-employees of the White Pass railway, and a full load of reight, including a shipment of salmon from Rivers Inlet, the last of the season. The steamer Thistie, bound for the wreek of the Barbara Boscowitz, and the tug Pilot, with the bark Richard III, in tow were passed in McKay Reach. Yesterday the steamer Excelsior, which left Seattle a few days ago for Copper river, was passed this side of Alert Bay, returning south. She had been in Alert Bay, and reported that her boliers had given out.

OVERDUE QUEEN CITY.

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With the thermometer registering afteen want degrees below zero on the summit, and a corresponding low glass at Skagway, the steamer Queen City, which returned to their steamer Queen City, which returned to port yesterday, on leaving Lynn Canal resembled a vessel from the Arctic circle, She carried ice on her decks four ploy.

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inches the starboard side were sealed tight, and for a time could not be opened except by using an axe to chop away the ice. Gales of terrible force, accompanied by snowfalls, were frequently encountered throughout the trip, which, for the Queen City, was the longest on record, it having been three weeks since she left for the North. Calls at all Northern British Columbia ports going and coming also accounted in great mensure for the delay.

On the down voyage the Barbara Boscowitz was seen in the same position on the rocks that she was in soon after striking. She lay over on her side, and to Captain Foot appeared almost a helpless wreck. The Thistle had not yet arrived with those on beard who proposed raising her. The tug Mystery, with Spratt's Ark in tow, was also seen in Wright's Sound. but will probably be a good many days making Victoria, as the weather would prevent her entering Queen Charlotte Sound. From Essington the Queen City brought a very interesting consignment of freight, consisting of 200 cases of clams shipped to R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd. The packing of clams is a new industry in the North, and is becoming very important at Essington, the shipment just arrived being the largest that has yet been received. Oil from Skidegate also made up a part of the Queen City's freight. She had as passengers we Atlin arrivals, three of whom have located on claims, one near discovery on Pine creek. The surface dirt on this, taken from just beneath the sod, yielded from fifteen to eighteen cents a pan, and it is expected that the returns at a lower depth will be very large. The steamer's complete passenger list was as follows: J. D. Ross, A. Fraser, A. Curtin, A. Gratin, B. Irwick, M. Bloomfield, J. H. Adlin, Chas, K. Outbridge, L. Lemmux, Wm. Stephens, F. Humber, Mrs. G. Tumblage, Chas, Skipper, D. P. Wilson, D. Morris, S. Jackson, Geo. Cunningham, G. W. Brewster and wife, John Clayton, B. Gorgiston, Mrs. Horford, J. J. Wilson, E. C. Willey, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. Rolllard, Miss Rolliard and K. McKinnon.

K. McKinnon.

News is brought by the Queen City of the sale of the Daylight mine in Lorne creek, Omineca, to an American syndicate, represented by Mr. Owen. Mr. Owen had arrived down the Skeena when the Queen City sailed and will reach here on the next

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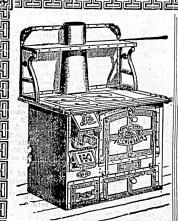
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Provincial Editors' Opinions on Proposal to End the Freedom Now Enjoyed.

Why British Subjects Alone Should Be Privileged to Secure the Canadian Gold.

Contrary Argument That Aliens Are as Profitable to the Province as Other Strangers.

A short time ago the editor of the Colonist sent to the editors of the British Columbia press generally the following self-explanatory circular note:

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 14, 1898. Dear Sir,-The Colonist would be glad to hear from you on the following ques-

Is it desirable to amend the mining of British Columbia so as to prohibit the ownership of placer claims by

Enclosed are extracts from an editorial in the Colonist on the subject. We shall be glad to print a signed letter Yours truly,

EDITOR COLONIST.

(From Colonist Editorial.) PLACER MINES FOR BRITISH SUBJECTS.

PLACER MINES FOR BRITISH
SUBJECTS.

Hitherto there has been a general consensus of opinion that the mines of Canada should be thrown open to all nationalities without distinction. At one time this seemed very good policy; but conditions have changed. The rules that held good in the Cariboo days do not apply now. Men can now make Scattle, Portiand or San Francisco their headquarters and exploit the mines of British Columbia under the responsibilities of British Columbia or San Francisco their headquarters and the Yukon. We are all very much wiser on this subject than the put the sesson learned at the cost of one of the cost of open and it seems the business of the cost of open and it seems the business of the cost of open and it seems the cost of open and the control of the country in such cases is only in the form of dividends. The cost of open and the country in such cases is only in the form of dividends. The cost of open and the control of the country in such cases is only in the form of dividends. The cost of open and in the cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open a cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open and the cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open and the cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open and the cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open and the cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open and the cost of the dividend from its greatest mines have gone to open and the cost of t

several replies which have been received make very interesting reading. They are as follows (the headings placed over them, for convenience of readers, being supplied by the Colonist):

MAKE THE COUNTRY POORER.

only fair to those of our own country that the natural resources of the province should be reserved for them. They serve and do their duty as citizens in the many ways in which their citizenship imposes upon them. They purchase their supplies and necessaries of life within the province, and they find and develop the mines for the benefit of themselves, their fellow-citizens and 'ne province within whose confines their residences for the term of their natural life are fixed. From an economic point of view, every argument is, in favor of protecting our own citizens against those who are a loss and a detriment to the wealth and ultimate progress of the country. In the consideration of a subject of this kind, our aim should be to adopt that policy which is in the best interests of our province, irrespective of sentimental considerations as to international goodwill.

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Alien Just as Valuable to This Province as Miners From Eastern Canada or England.

New Denver Ledge.

If people from other countries come into Canada, dig up and carry away more gold than they bring in, the country quits loser, and aliens should be barred out. I am of the opinion, however, that upon the whole aliens do not take out of the country as much gold as they spend in it, and for that reason I would not like to see aliens debarred. R. T. LOWERY.

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He Is Wrongfully Accused and Suffers Imprisonment in Klondike's Capital.

During His Incarceration Valuable Options Expire Causing Great Financial Loss.

To the Editor of the Colonist:

Sir: I was very much surprised to see a long article regarding myself in your paper this morning. Since my arrival at their information is not complete.

Had it not been for the advice of my law yers here, Messrs. Tupper, Peters & Potts, should have given the facts of the case The Rossland Miner.

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that wade tried to sell to Macfarlane cer-tain mining property described as Monte Christo Island, 17 miles up the Yukon, immediately after my imprisonment. At the preliminary hearing Macfarlane swore under oath that he did not have a single agreement relating to myself and the company, and during my imprisonment he had spent the money for other prop-erties,



THE UNIT OF REPRESENTATION

Sir:-In your article on British Columbia's representation after 1901 you take it for granted that the basis of representation will be the same as was established at the last census. This will not be the case. The unit of representation is found after the total population of Quebee has been found. The province of Quebee is the pivot around which all the other provinces turn, That province is always to have sixty-five members, no more and no less. This being so, the way to find the unit is to divide the population of Quebee were to remain stationary, of course the unit would be the same, but it is claimed that the province has added largely to its population during the last few years. Should this claim be verified by the census the unit will be increased in proportion and may make a material difference in our representation. This is the main reason while people back from the New England their people back from the New England the People back from the New England the People back fr sentation will be the same as was es-tablished at the last census. This will not be the case. The unit of representa-

Colonist under the above heading, by im-blication, gives me undeserved credit. In with 'The Newspaper for the on Sunday evening, I was glad Home," on Sunday evening, I was glad to be able to pay tribute to the press for the splendid service rendered to the cause of humanity and truth in a variety of ways. But the same sense of justice and responsibility compelled me to say things as highly condemnatory of certain phases of modern journalism, Western as well as Eastern, as the foregoing is complimentary. I regret that my language suddenly ceased to be intelligible, or became so soporfice to your informant, as praise and blame unmerited are equally undesirable.

November 20, 1888.

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UNDER WHAT FLAG?

Sir: We may well wonder and ask our selves, under what laws and administration are we living?—whether under British justice and fair play to rich and poor, or under a cruel and vindictive autocracy, supreme above the law, and the people. Under the one system no one is condemned before he has had a fair trial, and has been adjudged guilty; under the other system. en adjudged guilty; under the other sy

MELODRAMA AND COMEDY.

Sowing the Wind" at the Victoria This Evening-" At Gay Coney Island" on Saturday.

Sowing the Wind," which comes to the Victoria this evening, was the theatrical sensation of London two years ago, and of New York, Chicago and other leading American cities since that time. The man-agement of the attraction promise a pro-

American cities since that time. The management of the attraction promises a production similar in all respects to that which made such a hit in the metropolitum theatres. The costumes in particular are said to rival anything seen here in years. The plot of "Sowing the Wind" relates the experience of "Rosamond," a girl waif, without lawful parents, who grew up and became a concert singer of London during the early part of the present century. She was met and loved by Ned Annesley, a handsome dashing, honorable young man, the adopted son of "Brabazon." This "Brabazan" in early life had fallen in love, with a girl below his social station, and marriage beling out of the question, he at length separated with her before the Rosamond was born. Brabazon learns of Ned's engagement to Rosamond, and also learns that there is something wrong with the girl's history. He forbids the marriage, and then the famous battle of "sex against sex" begins.

The concert singer proves an antagonist worthy of Brabazon's mettle and the context singer proves an sit is bitter and relentless. The final interview between them in the fourth act is one of the most impressive scnees of its kind ever conceived by a dramatist. The fact that Brabazon is Rosamond's father is made known first to the girl, and then to the old man as the denouncement of the plot. It, would be difficult to imagine a more effective cilmax.

Other characters in the play are Mr. Watkins, who is besieged by the ridiculous of Mrs. Fretwell; Lord Petworth, a distinguished villain of the roue type; Sir Richard Cursitor, a horsey young nobleman, whom Mrs. Fretwell is anwious to secure

Richard Cursitor, a horsey young nobleman, whom Mrs. Fretwell is anxious to secure as a husband for her daughter Maud, a young woman whose chief characteristic is

attraction is booked for Saturday at the Victoria theatre.

Prince Alexander Tzaro of Russia recently had an auction sale in London. Among the things sold was the famous Indian pink diamond known as "Noorud-Deen," "The Light of Faith." This jewel is of great historical value, and it is alleged that good fortune follows its possessor.

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FOR ADDERMEN.
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pier of fands situate within the municipality, or (A1.) Who is the representative, duly authorized by the directors of an incorporated company which is the assessed owner of lands or of improvements of lands situate within the municipality, or (b.) Who is a resident of and carries on business, and is the holder of a trades license in the municipality, the annual fee for which is not less than \$5.00, and who has paid on or before the ist day of November, 1808, the full license fee therefor, or

or (c.) Who is a householder within the municipality. "A householder" is defined as a person who holds and occupies a messuage, dwelling, or tenement: or any part or portion of a messuage, dwelling or tenement, within the municipality, paying messunge, dwelling, or tenement: or any part or portion of a messuage, dwelling or tenement, within the municipality, paying therefor a rental or rent value of not less than \$60 per annum. Householders must have paid all municipal rates, taxes and license fees (exclusive of water rate or rent) on or before the 1st day of December, 133, to entitle them to make the declaration as mentioned below, and in order to be supported in the voters' list must, on or before that the other water is supported by the control of the control o

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console the suffering one. The one great yearn of the heart-sickened patient is how to get relief and accure. Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart stands preeminently to-day as the star of hope to sufferers from heart trouble, and so far past the experimental period that thousands to-day proclaim, in no uncertain.sound.
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nore indications that the heart is deranged. Dr. Agnew's to find relief from it inside of thirty minutes—a powerful cure. Mrs. JNO. FITZPATRICK of Gananogue, Ont., after having been treated by eminent physicians for heart disease of five years standing, was discharged from the hospitale near hopeless incurable. She suffered for acute pain and the parties of the surface of the control pain and the result of the free tand andles swollen, and there was more to the dropsteal form of heart disease, but the lady procured Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart as she declared, as a last hope. One does relieved her of a very acute spasm in less than thirty minutes, and three bottles cured her—not a symptom of the trouble remaining

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QUEBEC'S TURN NOW.

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Montreal, Nov. 16.—The Patric, Mr.

"Tarte's paper, takes advantage of the fact that to-day is the thirteenth animersary of the execution of Louis Riel-at Regina, to again raise the race question. The people of Ontario, whose sons faced death in order to put down the rebellion led by Riel, will do well to ponder over what the organ of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's chief has to say of the hero.

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"It is appropriate to give a thought," says the Patrie, editorially, to-night, "to this victim who paid with his head for the crime of vindicating the rights of the Metis, and for having demanded justice in their name. It suffices to recall that Riel was executed after a judicial farce, and contrary to British traditions, that a political prisoner should not be hanged. The seaffold of 1885 was erected by the intolerance and hatred of the Orangemen, and by the bad elements that dominated the Tory party of that period."

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The influence of this bad element, the Patrie adds, was so strong at Ottawa that the voice of the province of Quebee was not heard, and, to the disgrace of Canadian civilization, Riel was executed. The Patrie adds that Mr. Bergeron, Mr. Desjardins, and other French Canadians who pleaded for Riel, have joined forces with Clarke Wallace and the bad element, and are soiled with the blood of 1885.

TARTE REPUDIATED.

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Montreal, Nov. 18.—The revolt of the old time Liberals of this city against the Tarte section of the party has passed the stage of speeches and proceeded to action. The Club Geoffrion before which Mr. Beausoliel, M.P., made his attack upon the administration for awarding patronage to Conservatives rather than to Liberals, has passed this resolution.

awarding patronage to Conservatives rather than to Liberals, has passed this resolution:
"The Club Geoffrion in public meeting assembled, repudiates the minister of public works as being a traitor to the Liberal party and the members of this club bind themselves together to fight him for the greatest good of the Liberal party."

M.P.P.
Hon, Mr. Fisher was chairman. Cap-tain Bernier believes that the ouly way by which the North Pole can be reached

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which came up to him from suffering humanity.

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Qu-bec Contrasts the Present With the Time When Her Voice Was Not He ded.

Mr. Gooderham Controls Temperance Assurance Co.—Champion Shot Killed While Hunt ng.

Liberals Signing Pledge to Fight Mr. Tarte—St. Catharines Lady's Great Age.

OUEBEC'S TURN NOW.

Is for a party to place themselves on the lee off the coast of Siberin, and permit itself to flont with the current right across the Pole to open water in the North Atlantic, Captain Bernier proposes to charter a sealing vessel or whaler to carry him as fur as 78 degrees. No., in the neighborhood of the Lena river, either by the Behring strait or by Norway. He will start on the frozen surface of the Lena with provisions for two years and a half. He believes that the route over the polar sea will be practicable at the proper season. A number of raindeer will be brought along to assure a supply of fresh meat. With a crew of eight men, sixty or seventy-five dogs and about a hundred reindeer, a house bout, different kinds of sleighs, an india rubber skiff, kayaks, iron wire for bridge making, and provisions, Captain Bernier believes the expedition practicable.

GIFT TO WEST INDIES.

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The latest order-in-council which Lord Aberdeen signed before leaving Canada was one granting \$25,000 from the Canadian government to the fund which the Lord Mayor of London is getting up in behalf of the sufferers in the West Indies caused by the recent storm which swept over the islands

The first order-in-council which Lord Minto signed was one accepting the chapel at Rideau Hall, which Lord Aberdeen presented to the Canadian government. The chapel was erected at Lord Aberdeen's own expense.

A REMARKABLE AGE.

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St. Catharines, Nov. 14.—The oldest resident of this district passed away Sunday at the home of her son near Jordan station, in the person of Mrs. Margaret Davis, relict of the late John Davis, aged 110 years, eight month, and tendays. She had, by her extreme age, obtained more than a local reputation. Mrs. Davis was born on Lord Downshire's estate in the country of Down, Ireland, where 13 children were born to her. When 85 years of age she braved the Atlantic to join her son Thomas in St. Catharines. Until a few years ago she was very active, and in the warm weathed she would do some of the chores around the farm. She lost the sight of one eye some years ago through an aecident, but the sight of the other was good until the time of her death. She was seldom ill. Deceased was a staunch Presbyterian.

A HUNTING TRAGEDY.

awarding patronage to Conservatives restricted and to Liberals, has passed this resolution:

"The Club Geoffrion in public meeting assembled, repudiates the minister of public works as being assembled, repudiates the minister of public works as being a control of the control

OF VICTORIA.

EGYPTIAN BUDGET.

Cairo, Nov. 28.—The new Egyptian budget was approved by the ministers on Saturday. It abolishes the last taxes leyied on the natives alone. The diture are for the army, the civil administration of the Soudan, and the working of the Soudan railways.

QUARTER MILLION GONE.

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 28.—Fire in the big furniture establishment of Robt. Keith & Co., at Eleventh street und Grand arenue to-day, caused loss on stock estimated at \$200,000 and on the building of \$40,000, both are said to be covered by insurance.

STAMP MILL BURNED.

Hancock, Mich., Nov. 28.—The Frank-lin stamp mill has been destroyed by fire, the loss being \$150,000.

THE CHALLENGE YACHT.

London, Nov. 28.—Engineering says that the contract for the building of the yacht Shamrock, the challenger for the America's cup, was offered to Yarrow & Co., the well known builders, but it was refused.

DOCTORS TESTIFY.

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Changed Her Mind at the Altar a Congregation.

Congregation.

Scranton, Pa., Nov. 20.—A marriage was suddenly interrupted at St. Catherine's church, Moscow, a short distance from Scranton, Saturday morning, by the bride, Miss Marguret Moore, refusing to say "yes" at the proper time. For miles around in the Pocono mountain region the friends of Miss Moore and Timothy Foley land assembled to see the young couple married. The pastor of St. Catherines, the Rev. R. H. Walsh, stood waiting at the altar rail as the bridal party arrived.

The bride looked charming, She was attended by her niece, Miss Foley, and the bridegroom's best man was Frank Dougherty, a jury commissioner, of

Dougherty, a jury commissioner, or Lackawanna county. Mr. Foley ha already made his solemn vow, and the officiating priest asked:

"Will you, Margaret Moore, tak Timothy Foley to be your lawful lius band?"

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Instead of answering, the young woman inquired:
"Is it too late, father?"
Father Walsh, though surprised by the unusual question, immediately and swered: "It is not too late," where-upon the bride-elect said: "Then I twill not," and turning from the altar, her face as white as marble, she faced the suddenly startled spectators and walked down the aisle towards the door. It was a moment of intense excitement. The priest, the bridegroom and the guests seemed transfixed as the bride passed down to the church door.

After waiting for half an hour expecting that the bride would return, the guests gradually dispersed, and soon the strange incident became the talk of the entire town. No reason has been given for the bride's, strange conduct.

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been given for the bride's strange conduct.

To all questioning the answer is that she simply exercised a woman's privilege and changed her mind; but this does not soothe Mr. Foley, who was deserted at the altar by the woman of his choice who never gave a hint of her displeasure until she was asked the final question.

STOCKS, METALS AND PRODUCE

Profit Taking the Order of the Day it New York-Speculation Renewed in London.

New York, Nov. 29.—The Evening Post's financial cable from London says: "Stocks were generally good here to-day at a slight

London, Nov. 29.—Gold is quoted at Baenos Ayres at 117; at Madrid, 38; at Lisbon, 48.50; at Rome, 107. Berlin, Nov. 29.—Exchange on London is 20m. 42½ pfgs. for checks. Parls, Nov. 29.—(4 p.m.)—Three per cent, rentes 102, 35c. for the account. Exchange on London, 25f. 29c. for checks.

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New York, Nov. 20.—Profit taking was the order of the day on the stock exchange. Some effort was made to resist the declining tendency, but the persistent selling to realize discouraged these efforts, and support was finally withdrawn throughout the list. Yesterday's strong demand for London account fell off to-day, as it was generally supposed it would when the effect of this buying on the sterling exchange marked was remarked. The approach of exchange to the gold import point resulted in an advance in the private discount rate in London to-day, and this again caused a rise in London exchange at Berlin, which continues to be the real centre of pressing-need of money.

LOSING QUOTATIONS.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Amil. Tob	136
Amn. Sugar	$\frac{1245}{1124}$
Amn. Spirits pfd	361
Atchison, all paid 16%	1.65
Atchison pfd	165 463
Baltimore & Ohio 5514	589
Par State Clas	41
Canada Southern 541/2	
Chos & Oblo 91	231
Chlengo, B. & O 1201/6	1195
Chicago, B. & Q	1391
Chicago Gas 109%	
C R I & Pac 108%	1084
C. M. & St. P 1141/2	1144
Cons. Gas. N. T 188	1911
C. C. C. & St. L 41%	421
Del. & Hudson 190%	1005
Del., Lac. & West 144	623
Denver & Rlo G. pfd 631/4	821
Gen. Elec	
Lealede Can	50
Lake Eric & W. nfd	65
Laclede Gas	63
Man. Elev 97%	967
Man. Elev 9756 Mo. Pac 36%	375
National Lead pfd 1111/4	
North American 6%	71
Non Duo com now 42	413
Nor. Pac. pfd 76%	761
N. Y. C. & H 119	1185
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Omaha com	861
Pac. Mail 37%	367
Pullman 139	1397
Reading 1914	181
Southern Railway com 10%	101
Southern Railway com 1055 Southern Railway pfd 41 Standard Rope & T	403
Standard Rope & T	71
Tenn. Coal & Iron 30%	301
Tievas & Pacific 151/2	159
U. S. Leather	63
U. S. Leather	675
U. S. Rubber com 44	44
U. S. Rubber pfd 1051/2	105 385
Union Pacific receipts	691
Union Pacific pfd	81
Wabash pfd	223
Western Union 93%	931
Met St Ry 180	1793
Met. St. Rv	67
C. P. R. in London 87%	887
ON MONTREAL ECHANGE.	
Commercial Cable 184%	1851
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 J. P. R.
 85

 Montreal St. Ry
 276%

 Montreal Gas
 203¼

New York, Nov. 29.—Wheat closed: March, 74%c.; May, 71c.; Dec., 73%c. Chicago, Nov. 29.—Wheat closed: Nov., 65%c.; Dec., 65%c.; May, 65%c.; to 66c. Corn—Nov., 33%c.; Dec., 53%c.; May, 54%c.

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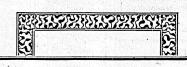
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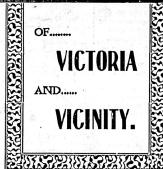
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THE WEATHER.

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During the past twenty-four hours there has been a decided decrease in the barometrie pressure over the North Pacific coas dvance of an important storm area in advance of an important storm area (centre 20.20 inches), now moving rapidly eastward across Northern British Columbia. This area has caused a general rainfall throughout the Pacific slope, and southerly gales along the coast, Canby reporting a maximum velocity of 36 miles from south-

With the exception of a light snowfal in Manitoba, the weather has been fair throughout the Northwest Territories, with maximum temperatures ranging from 16 to

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Victoria .								45
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For twenty-four hours from 5 a.m. (Pacifi time) Welknesday:

Victoria and Vicinity—Decreasing southwest and west winds; partly fair; occasions showers, chiefly at night. Lower Mainland-Unsettled, cool and shovery,

MICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

The velocity and direction of the wind

3 miles northwest. 18 miles west. 22 miles southwest. Rain—.46 inches. Average state of weather—Gloudy. Sunshine—36 minutes.

Barometer at noon-Observed29.51 Corrected20.45

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ters may be assussed very brealy. An offere miner, whether from the older provinces, Great Britain, or the United States, intends spending his life in a mining country. Every one proposes to make his fortune as speedily as possible, and to go somewhere else to spend it. The idea underlying this objection to any but eitzens being allowed to become miners seems to be that it is a very raduable privilege, the benefits of which should not be bestowed on aliens; that the individual gets something from the province without giving an adequate quid pro quo. Supposing, for argument's sake, this to be the case, who is the loser? The province—meaning, of course, the people of the same and those who are likely to make it their home in the fu-

As a matter of fact, it has been stated that all the gold taken out of a placer mining country does not amount to the money spent in getting it. Perhaps, in some cases, this statement may be too sweeping, but there can be little doubt that, in every case, if the surplus over the actual outlay had been distributed equally among all who started in as miners, the daily wage coming to each would have been a very triffing amount. The country, as a whole, benefits from the influx of gold seekers, by the market thereby created for the farmer and other industries, and, if this is not held to be enough, let the miners, citizens or foreigners, contribute a larger portion of their return to the provincial matter of fact, it has been stated

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ALLENS IN THE PLACERS

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and take our best, giving nothing in return.

The Chinese question, also, is an illustration to anyone who has thought over this alien question, and though I do not for one moment wish to compare our American cousins to the "Heathen Chinec," yet the principle is the same. We have put certain royalties on the products of our placer mines, but to my mind that is insufficient in the case of the allen. For an alien making thousands does not really mind (though he will kick constitutionally) perhaps paying out a few hundreds. It is not the tax he pays that counts to as, but what he takes a way with him when he goes.

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for his exertions, and if he fakes his ac-cumulations out of the country his pres-ence has really been a detriment.

It would be well also, if the terms of residence necessary for an alien to be-come naturalized were made longer, in order to exclude an undesirable class who would take the oath of allegiance for no other reason than to acquire the wealth of this country to spend in their own.

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2. This By-Law may be cited as the "Expenditure By-Law," 1898, Amendment By-Law," Passed the Municipal Council on the 31st day of October, 1898.

Reconsilered, adopted and finally passed by the Council this 1st day of November, 1898.

CHAS. E. REDFERN, Mayor. WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

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